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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is in response to the final Office Action dated January 3, 2007. A Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for a two-month Extension of Time to make this response timely are submitted herewith. Applicants thank the Examiner for his consideration and assistance at the interview held on May 8, 2007.

Please amend the application as follows:

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on May 17, 2007, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA

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